

## What We've Accomplished Together



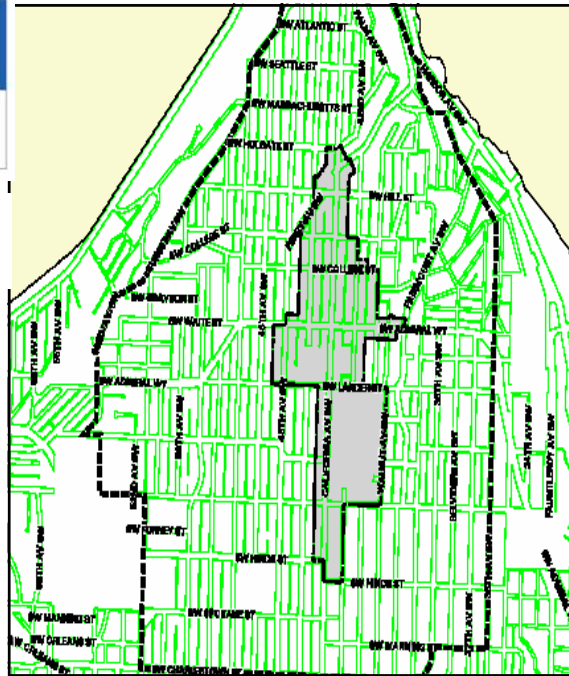
Gregory J. Nickels, Mayor  
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**Neighborhood:**  
Admiral Residential Urban Village

**Plan Adopted: 1999**

### Key Elements:

1. Streetscape improvements on Admiral & California
2. Alleviate Traffic & Parking Problems
3. Completion of Hiawatha Park
4. Preserve Schmitz Park and Fairmont Ravine



Admiral Neighborhood Plan Area  
*Southwest Sector*

### What happened in 2002

- **Admiral Streetscape Plan** - New sidewalks were constructed along California Avenue SW in front of Lafayette Elementary School. The Admiral Planning Coalition also received a \$5,000 grant from Seattle Public Utilities to remove sections of concrete paving to make way for landscaped planting strips along Admiral Way between California Avenue SW and 41st Avenue SW. In the fall, the community planted trees and shrubs there, supported by a Neighborhood Matching Fund grant.
- **Parking Study**- The Seattle Department of Transportation (SDOT) committed to study pedestrian crossing patterns in the vicinity of the Admiral Theater as part of its evaluation of a proposed mid-block crossing from the theater to the mixed use development and parking garage across California Avenue SW.
- **Pier 1/Pier2** - The Cascade Land Conservancy (CLC) began work on a Department of Neighborhoods contract to re-evaluate the feasibility of public shoreline access at the Pier 1/Pier 2 site along Harbor Avenue SW, south of Salty's restaurant. King County Councilmember Dow Constantine offered his support for a comprehensive solution for the Pier 1/Pier 2 area.
- **Schmitz Park** - Design of improvements and the first phase of construction began.

## What's Underway In 2003

- **Pier 1/Pier 2** - The Cascade Land Conservancy (CLC) continues to work on comprehensive solutions to the Pier 1 /Pier 2 area.
- **Admiral Streetscape Plan** - The Lafayette School PTA received a \$10,000 Neighborhood Matching Fund grant to work with students and community members to make tiles to be installed in the sidewalk near the school. City Light has committed \$78,000 to install 13 pedestrian safety pole lights.
- **Water Taxi** - King County has committed funding for 2003 Water Taxi operations. The County and the City will continue to work together on finding a long-term funding and docking facilities for the Water Taxi.
- **Schmitz Park** - Schmitz Creek will be day lighted and the remaining Park improvements will be completed with \$515,000 in Pro Parks Development Funding.



Schmitz Park and Fairmont Ravine

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